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THE NOE VALLEY VOICE

Demand for Action in Hill Murder Case

By Judith Healy

Shirley Hill's family and friends don't want ber murder to become another on the list of San Francisco's unsolved, forgotten bomicides.

Hoping that pressure from the community will force the police to step up their efforts to find her murderer, Shirley's friends, family and co-workers have been circulating petitions that call on the Police Department to put up a \$25,000 reward for information leading to the arrest of the murderer.

Hill's body was found at Mission High School on Sept. 6. She was last seen in a class in Daly City on Sept. 5 and is believed to have been near Mission Street between 3 and 5 p.m., transferring from one bus to another, when she was forced to go to the high school. There she was beaten, sexually molested and strangled with her own pants.

Shirley Hill was a 27-year-old mother whose violent death has touched the lives of many. Aside from the petition drive, plans are being made to help care for her 8-year-old son, including a recently established trust fund at Hibernia Bank. Donations can be made to the Richard J. O'Neal Trust, Acct. #01-017490538, Hibernia Bank, One Jones St., San Francisco.

Leaflets decrying the murder have been distributed in both the Mission District and the Western Addition, where Shirley lived.

Conscious of how such crimes hold a potential threat to all women, an open letter distributed by "Friends of Shirley Hill" asks: "Shirley was the victim this time, but wbo of us is next? Which of us will leave our homes, families and not return? This isn't a case of leaving a window open, a door unlocked!"

At press time, the Police Department bad not decided whether it would offer the re-

Anyone interested in signing or obtaining a petition should contact John Bowman at WAPAC, 922-4026.

Dist. 5 Election Analysis

'Your guess is as good as mine'

By W. E. Barnes

I don't put much stock in polls, but I do pay attention to them. Especially in politically sensitive areas like District 5, where every subtle change in the status quo spreads through the community like ripples from a rock tossed in the water. Counting the Examiner poll published on Sept. 20, I've now seen three independent surveys of district voters, and while the numbers are not identical, they are close enough to pick out discernable trends.

One is that Kay Pachtner is not catching on the way she and her advisers anticipated. Another is that a two-way race seems to be shaping up between Harry Britt and Terence "Kayo" Hallinan.

The latter trend is interesting because it is already splitting the local Democratic Party in some odd directions. Chairman Agar Jaicks, for example, has endorsed Britt, even though Hallinan was a

party mainstay before Harry even arrived in the city.

Two years ago, when there was a three-way battle raging between Hallinan, the late Harvey Milk and lawyer Rick Stokes, Jaicks engineered a dual endorsement for Hallinan and Stokes because it was inconceivable the party would fail to endorse a Hallinan. The notion that 5 is a "gay" district, however, now seems firmly embedded in Jaick's mind to the point that Kayo was never really in the running for the Central Committee endorsement this time around and was, in fact, lucky to block Britt (by one vote). Britt also has the endorsement of the three major gay Democratic clubs, so there can at least be no question he is THE gay candidate.

The race is also taking a few strange turns around the longstanding friction between two of the major progressive groups in the city — Citizens for Representative Government (CRG), which was the driving force behind district elections and the community congresses, and the newer Action for Accountable Government (AAG), which is run by a nucleus of ambitious, pro-Fonda/Hayden liberals. CRG is backing Pachtner, who was an early member and dependable soldier, while AAG is solidly behind Britt.

The schism between the two groups surfaced openly two years ago, during the first election of supervisors by district, when they clashed over who was the legitimate progressive candidate in District 9.

AAG (which wasn't formed officially until after the election) rallied behind Michael Nolan, while CRG ran the late Bob Covington, one of its cofounders.

The campaign was a bitter one, with the two sides battling for labor, progressive, Democratic

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Mayor, D.A., Sheriff Lowdown on High Offices

By Corey Michaels

It certainly was an unusual sight.

There was Mayor Dianne Feinstein strolling down 24th Street, smiling a lot, shaking hands with shoppers and popping her head into stores for quick chats with owners.

Though Sept. 13 was a hot Indian Summer day, she spent two hours on what was her first trek through Noe Valley since she assumed office late last year. But this is a political year, and Feinstein is trying to win the office on her own.

"She hasn't been over here in a while," said Del Dawson, owner of D&D Office Supply and host of the tour. "It was a very natural thing for her to pick Noe Valley for one of her tours."

Most merchants and passersby, bowever, seemed awed by the mayor and most of the conversations were chit-chat rather than

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This photo by Jennifer Fong-Mallie will be displayed as part of a group exhibition, entitled "Women and Other Mysteries," by the Womens Photography Workshop at the Noe Valley Library Oct. 31 to Nov. 30. The library at 451 Jersey St. is open Tuesday, 10 to 12 a.m. and 1 to 6 p.m.; Wednesday, 1 to 9 p.m.; and Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 1 to 6 p.m.

High Offices ...

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debate on substantive issues, such as the difference between herself and the major challengers, Supervisor Quentin Kopp and David Scott, a gay activist.

The mayoral contest is the biggest, not necessarily the most exciting, contest this fall. The other races feature a hard-nosed fight for the district attorney slot and a low-keyed battle for sheriff.

Incumbency in San Francisco is a distinct advantage. Feinstein, who hopes to collect a half a million dollar campaign chest, is outspending Kopp by four to one.

While several major organizations have refused to endorse either Feinstein or Kopp, she has gamered most of those which voted to support a candidate.

But Kopp, a conservative in dress as well as politics, is making some liberal waves. He has traded in his tired, baggy suits and wing tip shoes for smart three-piece, designer suits. Not only that, he has come out in favor of an issue dear to the progressive heart - Proposition O, the initiative which would limit highrise office buildings downtown. In fact, he has written a strongly worded argument for Prop. O in the voters bandbook.

And then there was the Dr. Catherine Smallwood controversy. Kopp was one of the first politicians to back Smallwood, a black feminist and activist who was

fired as executive director of the Commission on the Status of Women for alleged incompetency.

Black community leaders didn't miss the significance of Kopp's support for Smallwood. Neither did Feinstein, who for several days stayed at arm's length from the issue. But with warnings from blacks, including Assemblyman Willie Brown, that they would take their mayoral support elsewhere, Feinstein eventually forced the commission - wbose members she appoints — to rehire

Scott, a realtor, thinks there is no basic difference between Kopp and Feinstein. He calls them Tweedle Dee and Tweedle Dum. Scott, it seems, got most of his publicity when be announced his candidacy and was promptly fired from the Board of Permit Appeals by Feinstein herself.

Other mayoral candidates are Sylvia Weinstein, a perennial office seeker for the Socialist Workers Party, and Tibor Usker, a writer and lecturer.

In the district attorney's race, it's incumbent Joseph Freitas versus District 6 Supervisor Carol Ruth Silver; Arlo Smith, an assistant state attorney general; and two private defense attorneys.

Freitas is being attacked by his opponents not so much for what his office has done but for what it hasn't.

Although he didn't prosecute the case himself, Freitas is taking the beat because his office only won a manslaughter verdictinstead of murder - against former supervisor Dan White, who shot and killed George Moscone and Harvey Milk one year ago next month.

Smith, who bills himself as a "professional, not a politician," said Freitas doesn't even "know how to prosecute an embezzlement case. "

Silver said Freitas bad not bandled his job effectively and that the office suffered from a lack of leadership.

It bas also suffered from Freitas' association with Jim Jones. During Jones' rise to power in San Francisco, Freitas, like many other well-known politicians, was a supporter of the sect leader. And one of Freitas' chief assistants, Tim Stoen, was a top lieutenant in the People's Temple church.

The other candidates in the D. A. 's race are Atty. Joseph Russoniello, a Republican, and Atty. Bartholomew, a Libertarian Party candidate who promises not to prosecute victimless crimes but rather concentrate on violent

Incumbent Sheriff Eugene Brown, who was appointed to the position after popular Richard Hongisto left to become police chief of Cleveland (he's now a top aide to New York Gov. Hugh Carey), also has stiff competition Nov. 6.

His opponents claim morale is low among sheriff's deputies, and Brown's image has not been en-

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hanced by several recent escapes from his jail. He does, however, have all of the major endorsements, from Burton brothers Phil and John to Willie Brown.

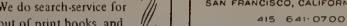
Brown's opponents are Mike Hennessey, a liberal and former lawyer in the sheriff's department; Ernest Raabe, a hardliner who this year retired from the police department after 32 years; Carl Curry and James K. Lewis, both deputy sheriffs; Arnold Baker, a governmental services consultant, and George M. Bosque, a police-

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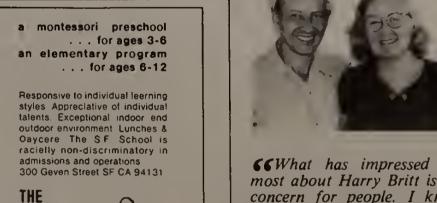
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President-elect Hopkins Plans To Make More 'Friends'

By John Pachtner

Call it omen, call it transfusion, call it minor skirmish.

Whatever it's called, there was a contest this year for the presidency of Friends of Noe Valley - the first one in the neighborhood organization's eight-year

And the winner was 41-yearold Barbara Hopkins, a Camden, N. J., transplant who got her first taste of politics as she entered her teens.

Hopkins bested Pyramid Realty Co. manager and Friends Vice President Lou Hopfer for the chieftancy in a vote whose numbers were not announced. Hopfer will continue as vice president for another term.

A former social worker and an active fundraiser for the League of Women Voters, Hopkins says she has two major goals: a little more structure and a lot more participation.

"I want all people to feel welcome and to get involved, " she said of the group in which she's worked for the past four years. "There's been a feeling (in the past) about not expanding membership. I would like more opportunity for involvement of more people. The reality (right now) is that you find a handful of people doing the work."

Hopkins is no stranger to neighborhood - or city - politics.

She organized a neighborhood canteen for teenagers in her Camden neighborhood as she was turning 13. She worked to get blacks involved in politics in Newark, N. J.; she was involved in housing battles when she lived

in Palo Alto, and she's been politically active since she moved to the city and Noe Valley four years

Hopkins is now involved in the campaign to limit construction of highrises downtown, and she holds memberships in the National Women's Political Caucus, the Feminist Democrats and the Democratic Women's Forum, in addition to the San Francisco



President-elect Barbara Hopkins

chapter of the League of Women Voters, for which she is finance director.

'In Palo Alto, I helped form the West Bayshore Residents Association," she recalled as she curled up on the sofa of her semiremodeled Castro Street home. "That's how I learned all about city government. The residents were up in arms about highrises along the freeway. We fought against it and won."

That, she says, was her first experience with organized neighborhood politics.

And it is more "organization" she wishes to bring to Friends of Noe Valley by finally completing what has become a long-term project - rewriting the organization's bylaws. "We need to become more structured, " said Hopkins. "We've always been loosely organized. We need more detailed bylaws."

Regardless of changes, however, Friends of Noe Valley will remain a force to be reckoned with. 'It exists," she declared. "It has successfully worked for residential rezoning and to preserve the quality of 24th Street."

And that she wants to continue.



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Dist. 5 Race...

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Party and Third World support. Each side charged the other with dividing the liberal vote in the district. Which is exactly what happened. Republican Lee Dolson won handily, although with a vote far less than Covington's (who finished second) and Nolan's combined total.

Pachtner began seriously considering running in 5 soon after Milk was shot. She felt her 1977 citywide race for treasurer, plus ber earlier work with Consumer Action and in the district elections campaigns, gave her good name identification. She was also counting on having enough troops to compensate for serious budget problems.

Simultaneously, another CRG mainstay, Nancy Walker, who was Covington's campaign treasurer in 1977, began gearing up to take another shot at Dolson in District 9.

Almost immediately, AAG attempted to cut a deal with CRG: AAG would throw its weight behind Walker if Pachtner would pull out of the race and endorse Britt in 5. Pachtner, who is conceding nothing, polls or no polls, refused.

"It was a good deal, they should have done it," an AAG member said recently.

"Those assholes," snapped a CRG leader. "You know, I think some of them are even supporting Dolson."

While AAG and CRG trade brickbats, Hallinan is raising money and seemingly following a down-the-middle strategy aimed at capitalizing on his family's name identification and ties to old-line labor and Democratic Party types. He is well financed. His campaign kickoff luncheon, for example, attracted some of the city's heaviest financial hitters, including Airports Commissioner Morris "Mo" Bernstein, Fire Commissioner Henry Berman and stockbroker Philip Schaefer, plus a fair number of labor leaders and city officials such as Muni Judge Lucy McCabe.

Hallinan may bave blown the election in 1977 when he stated, in response to a Noe Valley Voice questionnaire, that he opposed the Briggs initiative but also felt that gays should be discreet in their public behavior. He bas subsequently "clarified" the statement several times over, but his initial response cast a cloud that remained until the end of the campaign.

As one would expect, if the election were beld today, the winner would be Undecided, which leads all the candidates by a comfortable margin. It is likely to remain that way for

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some time. In the last district election, voter sentiment didn't begin to crystallize until three weeks before the election, when it moved dramatically to Milk. Britt, Hallinan, Pachtner, even Dennis Peron, who placed a strong fourth in the Examiner poll, could benefit from such a surge.

More likely is that no one will capture 50 percent of the vote and there will be a runoff. As to who will be in it, your guess is as good as mine. The polls thus far are just too inconclusive, and at this early date, the seat in 5 is very much up for grabs.

ED. NOTE: W. E. Barnes is a local political columnist of national renown.

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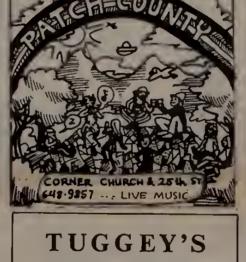
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| EDITOR'S NOTE: In San Francisco's first District Election two years ago, the Noe Valley Voice asked supervisoral candidates how they felt about the key issues affecting The City. Because of the importance of the Nov. 6 election, the Voice once again has solicited views from District 5 candidates on both general and specific issues. | Harry Britt | Terence Hallinan |
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| 1. If you were elected to Who's Who, how would your capsule biography read? | 1. I am District Five Supervisor in San Francisco. I studied at Duke University (BA); Southern Methodist University (BD); graduate work at Heidelberg University and University of Chicago. I am a member of CED, on the Steering Committee of AAG; a member of the North Central Regional Coastal Commission; West Bay Health Systems Advisory Board. On the Board of Supervisors I serve as Chair of the Community Services Committee, Vice Chair of the Health and Environmental Committee and am a member of Governmental Services Committee. | 1. Attorney at law; officer, Criminal Trial Lawyers Association; No. Calif. Service League and Law Students Civil Rights Research Council; Nat'l Lawyers Guild; Cal. Attorneys for Criminal Justice. Has represented Presidio 27, Frank Werber, Patricia Hearst, Juan Corona. SNCC voter registrar, Mississippi 1963; founder, Ad Hoc Comm. to End Discrimination, 1964; West Coast Chair, New Mobilization Comm. to End War in Vietnam; Student Body officer, U.C.; founder, Hastings Young Democrats; Bd. Directors, Paltenghi Youth Center; PTA. |
| 2. Would the position of supervisor be a fulltime job, or would you feel the need to supplement your income with other employment? | 2. I now spend at least I2 hours a day working as supervisor. I consider it a fulltime job. | Fulltime and a half – supplemented by occasional law practice with my firm |
| 3. What is your position of Supervisor Carol Ruth Silver's proposal to raise the supervisor's salary from \$9,600 to \$25,000? | 3. I favor a salary increase, because the present low salary imposes severe economic hardship on fulltime supervisors who are not independently wealthy and discourages poor and middle income people from running. However, I prefer a figure lower than \$25,000. | 3. I am opposed to a raise at the present time. We need whatever money we have to maintain public services. |
| 4. How would you propose to alleviate the City's current housing shortage? Do you feel the rent "control" measure adopted by the supervisors this year is sufficient to slow spiraling rents? | 4. I favor the SFAH proposal, Prop. R, which I introduced to the Board, as the first meaningful step toward limiting housing costs. The ultimate solution must involve new housing and my office has already begun to bring together groups and individuals to work out mutually agreeable solutions to provide that housing. | 4. Existing in-law apartments should be legalized. Redevelopment in the A-2 area should be completed with moderate-priced housing and housing developed South of Market Street as far as Candlestick Park. The present rent stabilization ordinance expires in January and should be succeeded by an affordable housing program. |
| 5. How would you resolve the conflict between the influx of gay entrepreneurs and renovators into poor neighborhoods and the resulting displacement of long-time residents? | 5. Throughout history, economics have determined property ownership. It is both unfair and incorrect to characterize the present housing crisis as the result of the actions of gay people or any other group of people. Gay and non-gay people, particularly minority people, will suffer from the current housing shortage and economic equation. Prop. 2 will help to alleviate this problem by guaranteeing the basic right of affordable shelter for everyone. | 5. I am opposed to commercialization, gay or straight replacing housing. Gays, blacks and other minorities must be encouraged to realize that they are all being victimized by speculators. |
| 6. What's the maximum height you feel the City should permit for construction of new highrise office buildings in downtown San Francisco? | 6. I support the basic 20-story maximum proposed in Prop. O, the highrise initiative, which I was the first supervisor to endorse. Further highrise construction would damage our environment and further increase the economic and political control of large downtown interests at the expense of the neighborhoods. | 6. A height that is commensurate with already existing contracts, but reduces further impacts of high-rise construction. We must find a proper balance between the maintenance of our office industry and the environment habitability of our residents. |
| 7. Considering the high concentra- tion of gays in District 5, do you think the post of supervisor should be held by a gay person? Why or why not? | 7. Gay people, like all people, need and deserve political representation. My office answers the calls and serves the needs of gay people all over the city who feel they have nowhere else to go. Of course, any supervisor from District Five must act for all of its residents, as I have tried to do. | 7. No. It is to the credit of District 5 that a qualified gay person could be elected supervisor. However, sexual preference is not relevant to competency. We need a strong, competent supervisor who can effectively represent all of the people in District 5, including lesbians, gays and "straights." The supervisor must be sensitive to gay issues. |
| 8. What should the City do to meet the growing demand for free, fulltime childcare for working parents? | 8. This is a particularly difficult problem, for S.F. has never had adequate free childcare and the situation has been exacerbated by Prop. 13 cutbacks. I am hopeful that the newly-formed Mayor's Office of Childcare will find alternate sources of funding. I plan to participate actively in this search including perhaps exploring the area of corporate responsibility for childcare needs of workers and will work to see that basic childcare needs are met. | 8. The city must get serious about providing child-care; not necessarily free, but based on income. |
| 9. If you had been police chief, how would you have handled the disturbance at City Hall following the Dan White manslaughter verdict? | 9. I support the restraint with which Chief Gain attempted to handle the situation at City Hall. To all of us who are committed to peaceful solutions to problems, his humane handling of the situation was welcome and helped to prevent further serious injuries. | 9. Chief Gain showed exemplary restraint at City Hall, Harry Britt did not. If I had been chief, I would have tried to provide an alternative way for people to work off their anger. |

address system would have been present and function-

ing, the mayor, board president, church leaders, and gay community leaders would have had a chance to

verbalize the dismay and bitterness so present, yet so

frustrated that night.

one was seriously injured or killed. Those in charge

the night of May 21, 1979 should be commended for

their actions. Perhaps the situation could have been handled better or differently - under the circumstances

they did the best they could and we still have City

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Who's Who

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Dennis Peron

I do not believe in the concept of Who's Who. Everyone, especially the less educated, has important knowledge to impart. I have been listening to those people. I am a nexilist - one who specializes in all kinds of knowledge. Today's who's who are too limited, their education too narrow, remote. I am a certified public accountant, a warrier against corporate power, a photographer, musician, writer and first and foremost a sexual activist.

a. Spokesman for third largest industry in U.S. Author, Prop. W, passed by 57% of voters. c. Candidate, charter commission (only 2nd person from jail to do it.

d. Community activist and supporter of street fairs.

As a freelance writer specializing in San Francisco's political process, I have acquired expertise in the procedures, agendas, and politics of the city's 26 boards and commissions and 9 regional agencies. Every week for a recent 11/2 year period, 1 attended and carefully monitored all meetings, discussions, debates, and votes of the S.E. Board of Supervisors. I. am an elected representative and spokesperson for the 19-year-old, 500-member Haight Ashbury Neighborhood Council, one of S.F.'s and District 5's oldest, largest, and most active, progressive community or-

2. I would be a fulltime supervisor. I will not pursue

any other business or profession, if elected, and I will put in the time, effort, and energy to be a good, hard-

working, competent, accessible legislator.

2. I live on \$6,000 a year now and am able to save. As a CPA I learned that all 40 hr. a week jobs, if organized properly, can be cut to 10 or 20 hours. Proper supervision is the key. As a supervisor, I shall spend the time necessary to do the job right.

3. Ms. Silver and Mr. Britt (he voted for this raise) are trying to turn their jobs into just one more stronghold of corporate America. So no voice except corporate mentality has a chance to speak. The supervisors of S.F. should come from the people and live as the people do.

3. Yes, it's a fulltime job.

2. Yes, it is a fulltime job.

3. The salary of a supervisor is, after taxes, \$600-amonth with no fringe benefits. S.F. supervisors are the lowest paid in the Bay Area, and perhaps the state. If a supervisor is hard-working and puts in many hours, he or she will earn less than the minimum wage. The late Supervisor Harvey Milk, at the time of his death, was earning less than his two aides. I support a salary increase for supervisors.

4. The moderately priced housing supply can be ex-

panded by speeding up the permit process, allow "in-

4. The city has no housing shortage. The city has too much office space to fill with employees. S.F. needs its open space. The S.F. Affordable Housing proposition on Nov. ballot is not rent control; it is again corporate controlled program to provide a massive housing construction in S.F. neighborhoods turning them into dormitories. The present rent control is no

The present rent control is insufficient. a. S.F. for Affordable Housing initiative must

b. Transfer tax.

c. Federal subsidies for housing in cities financed by dropping MX-missile program. d. Strict limitation on condos.

e. Tax incentive for long-time renters and owners.

law" apartments under certain circumstances, provide low-interest loans for home purchase, improvements and new construction, allow short-term tax incentives to builders, and prevent the demolition of needed housing. I support the housing initiative. It more comprehensively deals with the city's housing crisis than the actions taken by the Board of Supervisors. This initiative effectively and fairly controls rents, creates protections for tenants, discourages speculation, protects tenants from being evicted because of condomin-

ium conversions, and discourages demolition of

5. People who live in neighborhoods should be encouraged to purchase their own properties. Corporate power is trying to rid the city of those who do not fit the 9-5 corporate culture. Banks are willing to front loans to those people - usually gay - who are speculators and not long-term residents. This fits the program of driving undesirable elements from the cities.

5. a. Strict enforcement of anti-redlining laws. b. Rent control.

c. Transfer tax - limits on condos. d. Change R.A.P. to provide incentives for longtime homeowners and renters instead of incentives for speculators.

5. Displacement of long-time residents because of economic reasons must stop. It is the essence of legislative authority to impose reasonable regulations upon private property rights to serve the larger good. I would work for legislative remedies to this problem. Social and economic integration in our neighborhoods must be preserved.

6. In the late '60s and early '70s banks found the most profitable thing was to build oil supertankers. They built twice as many as they needed. Most now sit in dry dock. We have more than enough highrises now. We need OPEN SPACE.

6. Twenty stories as contained in anti-highrise initiative because highrises promote corporate interest, jobs for non-San Franciscans.

6. I support the highrise initiative because it reduces height and bulk limits on downtown buildings to a maximum of 20 stories, provides economic incentives for the construction of new housing, and encourages reasonable, responsible economic development in the

7. The position should be held by a person in touch. My activities in the gay culture give me strong support there. My perception of the issues of this election give me equally strong support in the straight and hip areas of District 5.

7. Yes - the Board of Supervisors should be representative of all races and sexes of S.F.

7. I think the most qualified, hard working, competent and accessible candidate should be elected, whatever their sexual orientation. We need a supervisor who will represent and be accessible to all the people of District 5 - working people and poor, young and old, gay and straight.

8. Provide it. Let corporations provide it. They benefit directly.

8. a. Usc suprvisor's office to organize co-op.

b. Demand federal and state help.

c. Give vice squad money to childcare in S.F.

8. I support free, fulltime childcare for parents who cannot afford childcare. Priorities in the city's budget should be shifted to allow full funding plus expansion of childcare services.

Childcare

9. I believe the violence at City Hall was paid for by the forces of police state mentality. Chief Gain's first comment after the riot was "we need more funds to counter this kind of thing." We spend two to three times more for police services than necessary. Example: you rarely see one policeman - there are always two. We can't afford this.

9. If I were Police Chief, it wouldn't have happened at all. Chief Gain, however, handled it well with relatively few injuries to people and some damage to property. No apology. Humanistic police action the

9. Undercover police officers in street clothes should have arrested individuals that were clearly throwing objects to break windows between 8:20 and 10:10 p.m. that evening. This would have stopped, I believe, the escalation of tension and violence.



| | Kevin Wadsworth | Howard Wallace | Al Williams |
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| Who's Who | 1. Partner, The Gallery Gloria Jean, author, member, Eureka Valley Merchants, SPUR, MCC, DAV, ACLU, TKE, GGBA, CRIR (treasurer), Republican State Central Committee (associate); former Adm. Asst. to Mayor (Orlando, Fla.), Exec. Asst., U.S. Senate; Outstanding Men of America, Men of Achievement, International Biographical Dictionary (for exemplifying youth in politics); B.A., Communication, M.A. (incomplete), public administration. | 1. Howard Wallace is a rare figure in American politics. Over a 25-year period, he has inspired oppressed, exploited and disenfranchised people to fight for their rights without reliance on the shell game of the Democratic and Republican parties. A host of grass roots movements for social change have benefitted from his work and thought. His wide variety of experiences in mass movements has given him a uniquely broad and rounded perspective. He has made significant contributions to the Gay movement, Labor, Black, Latino, Farmworkers, along with other social, sexual and economic justice struggles. | 1. Born 12-28-44, St. Petersburg, Fla. Graduate, Fla. A.M. Univ, 1967; B.S. degree in Sociology, 1975-1979; affirmative action officer, Alameda County; 1971-1974; dept. head, Fed. Reserve Bank, S.F.; 1968-1970; director, Resident Participation Inc.; 1967-1968; director Neighborhood Youth Corp.; vice pres. Haight Fillmore Neighborhood Assoc.; past pres., Fillmore-Fell Corp. and Liberation House Inc. Member, Jones U.M. Church, Parent; daughter – Dahra Naledi. |
| Fulltime | 2. I will devote my full time and attention to being the best supervisor on the board. | 2. We must realize that being a supervisor in a major U.S. city such as S.F. is, or should be a fulltime job. San Francisco needs fulltime, active supervisors to make the city work for the people who live here. | 2. It would be necessary to supplement my income. |
| Salary | The Charter defines the board as being a part-time function. The pay should not increase while the po- sition is so defined. | 3. \$9,600 is clearly not enough to sustain most people reasonably, and as a consequence discriminates against wage workers and favors people of independent means. \$25,000 is out of line with the recent cuts in the city budget for jobs that residents want and need. | 3. I support Supervisor Silver's proposal. The position requires considerable time and commitment. The present situation precluded a person of low to moderate income from consideration. Only the wealthy can afford to hold the position. |
| Housing | 4. The current 'rent stabilization' gives us time to develop a housing policy. Rents can be 'controlled' by inceasing housing stock, penalizing short-term housing speculation (non-improved), and providing incentive for home ownership. Also, the planning commission must become a partner in the City's development, and an adversary. | 4. Housing is in short supply for poor and working people who are being displaced, impoverished, forced to live in crowded and substandard places. The crunch is not coming down on developers, real estate brokers, speculators or most landlords. Private developers will not build housing for those who need it. Only by controlling the housing market and making large amounts of federal money available to develop housing will we see a change. Strict controls on rents, speculation are needed. I support the SFAH's proposals. | 4. Support Prop. R. Encourage tenants to cooperatively purchase. Establish funded low-interest loan program. Prosecute red-liners. Conduct home buying workshops for low and moderate income persons. Boycott lenders who don't loan to present tenants. Establish housing development co-ops and community credit unions. Support anti-nighrise initiative. No: |
| Displacement | 5. Gentrification is a natural process in any city. All areas have changed and none remain the same as before. Conflict, however, can be eliminated by discouraging short-term speculation and by encouraging home ownership as done in Chicago and Louisiana. | 5. Take away the motivation to those developers and renovators – profits and greed. Place hefty taxes on property speculation. Activate the community to prevent real estate profiteers from gaining a foothold in the communities. Form alliances between progressive gays and ethnic minorities so we can help each other fight against speculators of any stripe and put racism and sexism behind us. A Yes Vote on Prop. R is a first step. | 5. Establishing district-wide housing task force comprised of diverse interests for the purpose of developing mutually acceptable solutions. My experience as V.P. of Haight-Fillmore Neighborhood Assoc. has made me aware that grass-roots gays are just as concerned about stopping displacement as are the long-time residents. We are all opposed to speculation be they gay, straight, white, or black. Together we can control speculation. |
| Highrise | 6. Thirty-five to forty stories. Our city is a business center and business must be encouraged to locate here in order to maintain a healthy city. Twenty stories downtown and five stories elsewhere (south of Market) is unreasonable and unrealistic. | 6. I would follow the lead of the highrise opponents. Explosive downtown development is just another strategy for changing the face of our city to fit the needs of multinational and financial corporations. It artificially inflates property values, congests traffic, puts a burden on city services, destroys S.F.'s famous iews, brings in more communers and deteriorates are environment. Job impact studies for residents should be combined with environment. | 6. I agree with the limitations set forth in the anti- highrise initiative. Because, the initiative encourages residential development, maintaining existing struc- tures and limits on the demands for additional public services by commuters. |
| Gays | 7. Our supervisor should be a competent, understanding and reasonable individual who can understand and do the job well! To be gay or not, black, white, latino, male or female is not a qualification. | 7. Not automatic. Not if that person is a sell-out, fails to build bridges, or divides the different communities in District 5 or any other district, instead of uniting people. However, because of the need for gays as with other minorities to gain a positive image of themselves and for non-gays to gain a better understanding and shed their prejudicial feelings, I would like to see, at this time particularly, a qualified gay person represent the district. | 7. I have no objection to being represented by a gay person if that person can effectively represent the interest of all 5th district residents. However, to elect a person simply because he or she is gay is absurd. To do so would contribute to the divisiveness that presently limits our ability to address and resolve our problems. What we need is unity. |
| Childcare | g. Provide for the necessary funding, which requires obtaining sufficient revenue. | 8. Childcare should be a fully-funded program of the S.F. Unified School District, and the city should be passing appropriate legislation and putting pressure on the state to reverse the effects of Prop. 13 that are strangling the schools. I believe that the major corporations that hire many of the women and men who have children should take responsibility to provide childcare as was done during WW II. Corporations are the major benefactors of the labor of parents. | g. I don't think that the question is the right one. For me the question is what should the people do to meet the need for fulltime childcare? Cooperative childcare centers might be one approach. I'm sure there are others. But, the people affected must get together and decide what we can do for ourselves. We can't continue to demand more services without tax increases. |
| Dan White | 9. I am not qualified in police science and will not pretend to be. | 9. I'm running for supervisor not chief of police. However, I would have required that the police keep a low profile and not make provocative moves against the demonstrators. We have to remember that the whole demonstration was provoked by the outrageous conduct of an "all-American boy" and former policeman and the catering to a backward and anti-democratic element by a supposedly "fair" court system. I would require that police personnel be given sensitivity training to help them deal effectively and compassionately with our city's diverse population. | 9. I would have enforced the law in every instance where it was broken. However, I would have had the foresight to meet with gay community leaders to enlist their support in efforts to forestall the kind of events that did occur. The gay liberation day parade is a good example of how effective communications can help avert problems. MORE QUESTIONS |
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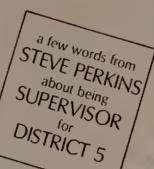






HOWARD WALLACE
SUPERVISOR / 5











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SUPERVISOR DISTRICT FIVE

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| QUESTIONS |

Harry Britt

Terence Hallinan

- 10. What's your favorite TV program? Why?
- 10. I do not own a TV set and haven't for years. This is not so much a philosophical comment as an economic one. I relax by reading.
- 10. Masterpiece Theatre. There is no explaining taste.

- 11. What well-known political figure do you identify with? Why?
- 11. Harvey Milk, who was my friend and political mentor, who understood the need for gay people to unite with other people in the struggle for equal rights.
- 11. Earnon de Valera because he was my cousin; Cong. Vito Marcantoneo because of his courage.

- 12. How did you vote on Prop. 13? How do you feel about it now?
- 12. I worked and voted against it. Already it has gravely impaired the city's ability to fully provide such vital services as parks, childcare, decent schools, mental and other health facilities and libraries. What we have seen is only the beginning, for Prop. 13 gives those politicians who do not care about people an excuse to eliminate essential human services.
- 12. I voted and worked against Prop. 13. We are only beginning to feel its evil effects (e.g. schools) as the tax base shifts rapidly from commercial to residential property due to frozen assessments.

- 13. What's your stand on the following:

 Condominium conversions
- Condo conversions reduce the rental housing stock and are particularly damaging to the elderly on fixed incomes. I have been the Board's most consistent opponent of condo conversions.
- Very skeptical. Conversions should not be allowed as a device to remove rental property from the market.

- The initiative to eliminate Muni fares to discourage auto traffic
- I support the concept of free public transportation as a means of discouraging auto traffic.
- Support.

- Shifting the tax burden so that corporations pay a greater share than homeowners
- One of the enduring evils of Prop. 13 is its shift of the tax burden from giant corporations to homeowners. I enthusiastically support efforts to reverse this inequity.
- Support.

- Elimination of the vice squad
- The activities of the vice squad, which are particularly directed against women, gays and minority people, are a waste of the city's police resources. I have spoken out repeatedly for the elimination of the vice squad.
- I support elimination of the vice squad, but oppose the initiative to eliminate the vice laws.

- Mandatory busing to achieve racial integration
- The current busing initiative is, I believe, fundamentally motivated by racism. I support busing where it is necessary to achieve racial integration because integration is good for both society and our children.
- Support.

- The current moratorium on new liquor licenses on 24th, Castro and Haight Streets
- I support such moratoriums. One of my priorities in office has been to bring neighborhood activists, merchants and others together to create Special Use Districts which regulate commercial growth and preserve the character of our neighborhoods.
- Support.

- The right of public employees to strike
- I support Prop. A which provides for binding arbitration so that some public employees can achieve economic justice without the threat of strikes. In the absence of such legislation, I support the right of all workers to strike.
- Support, except for the emergency services, who should be provided compulsory arbitration to settle disputes.

- 14. Give your No. 1 priority if elected supervisor.
- 14. To continue to work with neighborhood groups to make our neighborhoods affordable, clean and safe and reflective of the needs and desires of the people who live and work in them.
- 14. My number one priority in District 5 is to unify the people of this district so we can begin working together on the critical problems of housing, jobs, crime and public transportation.

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| | Marjorie Martin | Leonard Matlovich | Kay Pachtner |
| T.V. | 10. Johnny Carson. I like hright cheerful people. William Buckley, Jack Anderson have been guests. Saints, Sinners and Somewhere-in-between have appeared. It is like rubbing shoulders with the greats. | 10. 60 Minutes. Informative. | 10. "Barney Miller" because it's heartening to see police operate under human, personal, humorous and touching circumstances. |
| Model | 11. Reagan, as he is a right-wing statesman. He has contact with some of the finest university minds in the country. He draws upon their experiences and intelligences. We need deep-thinkers to solve the complex problems of the present day world. | 11. Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. His struggle for the rights of all. | 11. Barbara Jordan. Because she had the guts to quit Congress at its distant and removed level in order to return to work at the local political level with real people and their day-to-day problems. |
| Prop. 13 | 12. I voted for Prop. 13, it was the voice of the small property owner asking for relief from excess taxes. I still feel that it is valid as it points out that when a cutback in funding occurs, it is necessary to eliminate frills. Excesses have destroyed nations. Rome fell, Greece fell, France fell when the ruling class said "Let them you cake." The one objects to paying taxes to teach children the three r's. But a ballot printed in three languages is an insult to every native born American and naturalized citizen. | 12. Yes. Disaster. | 12. I voted against it and I worked against it. Property tax reform was overwhelmingly compelling to Californians, however, and the form of it obviously wasn't important to voters. The problem with Prop. 13 is that it puts cities at the mercy of handouts from the State Legislature, thus undermining local control. In the end, the property tax most be abolished and San Francisco must secure the power to levy its own tax based on an accurate measure of wealth. |
| Condos | 13. Detrimental to the City of San Francisco. Multiple ownership has not proved a sound financial operation. Condominiums have been offered for sale where a 18-year old tenant has a 99 or life-time lease for a ridiculous low figure such as \$125.00 per month that can never be increased. | The conversion process cannot be allowed to go too fast and must be examined carefully on a one-to-one basis. | I supported the San Francisco Housing Coalition's proposal to ban all conversions until a 5% vacancy rate was achieved in the rental housing stock. Perhaps the greatest shortcoming of Prop. R is its failure to ban condo conversions. When elected, I shall introduce legislation banning condo conversion until a 5% vacancy rate occurs. |
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| Muni | Anything for free is expensive. There is no contract at birth that anyone should get a free ride – even if it is only on the Muni. As it is now, the Muni Railroad costs \$90,000,000 a year, \$24 million comes from fares, \$40 million from taxpayers. To ask the taxpayers to double their contributions so someone can ride free is unfair. | I am opposed to eliminating Muni fares. Improving Muni service would help discourage auto traffic. | I favor a free Muni. What we must do until that great day comes is to prevent new fare increases. Fare increases mean fewer riders and fewer riders mean more fare increases. A special assessment district should be formed downtown and the proceeds of that assessment should go directly to Muni. I also support the measure on the state ballot to tax oil companies windfall profits and divert such profits directly to Muni transportation systems. |
| Taxes | This question is vague. | Everyone must pay a fair share, no more, no less. | I support the passage of Prop. P on this November's ballot. Prop. 13 has meant a huge tax windfall to downtown corporations. That tax windfall must be recouped by local government or we simply will not be able to provide the level of neighborhood services necessary for urban life. |
| Vice | The only one in the chicken yard that wants to get rid of the watchdog is the wolf. I direct your attention to past periodicals – vice is a problem in San Francisco. I believe in going to the professionals. | Yes, most of its few necessary functions can easily be absorbed by other units. | I support Prop. Q. However it is much like Prop. R, the rent control measure. It will begin to address the problem, but it is no solution. The entire SFPD must be re-organized. Police no longer serve the needs of a majority of San Francisco residents. |
| Busing | Children should not be political pawns. Forced busing does not teach one child one spelling word or how to do one problem in math. The function of a school is to educate a child in his home environment. Taking a child's after-school time with needless busing – is I believe cruel. Children should be allowed that the children should be allowed that the children should be allowed young. Not cooped up sardine-fashion in a bus. | Because of the decline in student enrollment, bus- ing will be necessary to get students to schools that are open, and racial integration can be accomplished at the same time. | Court ordered, federally enforced busing is the only practical solution this country has been able to work out to avoid our public school system becoming a tax supported racist institution. The measure on the state ballot is an objectively racist measure and I reject it totally. Elected officials must offer the community and neighborhood leadership which make the necessary changes in housing and job discrimination to make busing unnecessary. |
| Moratorium | The moratorium should be kept. The more liquor licenses, the more the population in the neighborhood will be a drinking crowd. When a street goes DRY – the street usually changes in character and for the better. | They are effective temporary measures, provided they are followed by proper planning and zoning procedures. | I support the moratoriums. But, more importantly, I support the notion that City Hall and the Board of Supervisors can make city policy that supports neighborhood-oriented businesses as opposed to high-volume uses such as bars, discos, savings and loans, fast food chains, and franchises. Zoning must be used to prohibit such high-volume business uses on residential shopping streets. |
| Strikes | No. I believe that a wage should be set. If the worker does not wish to work for that wage – he should go seek another employer. The thousands of employees that had to walk from the Sunset to Montgomery Street last year, were victims of a situation where they were willing to pay their fair, and also subsidize the operation. | I feel that the only exception to the right must be in the safety services, and the supervisors must bear full responsibility in this area. | Of course any worker has the right to strike to withhold her or his labor. Of course public employees have the right, ability and recourse to strike. Politicans have no right to expect otherwise. |
| Priorities | 14. To set a focus on essentials. To eliminate FAT, WASTE, and UNNECESSARY FRILLS. The problem is we have a great City but we cannot continue to give handouts to every drunk and drifter that crosses the Golden Gate Bridge. To return respect for the Law Enforcement Officers and City Hall Officials. To encourage the small local businessman to remain located in San Francisco by having him feel that his stock and merchandise would be safe while his business is closed. That the Police Force is so effective that a holdup man would think twice before he entered San Francisco. To have the streets safe for the 8-5 worker or the 4-12 worker from mugging, purse-snatchers. Women should be able to attend the opera and return home on public transportation without fear. To roof over the swimming pool on 19th Street so that it can be used on foggy days. | 14. Safer streets. The incumbent must share blame for the polarization between the police and gays, gays and non-gays. | 14. The number one priority of my first year as supervisor is to develop a working relationship with five other supervisors to be able to pass legislation so needed in this City. The next four years are most crucial to our neighborhoods and our City. Unless a working, principled majority of district supervisors addresses these problems, the City as we know it will no longer exist. Working with residents of District Five, tapping the creativity and talent in this part of San Francisco, I am positive that workable, sensible solutions can be fashioned. With that support, and with other supervisors from districts that share the same problems we do, we can save our City. |

| Steve Perkins | Dennis Peron | Joel Ventresca | |
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| O. Commercial television has to change. Presently the censorship of corporate money provides nothing out anti-culture. I believe the TV tune of commercial thannels should be turned over to the people. | 10. 60 Minutes, because it is informative and entertaining. | 10. Rockford Files because it's fun to figure out the plots. | T.V. |
| Gandhi – resistance to corporate mentality, con- rol and anti-culture. Economic resistance will bring hem down. | 11. Tom Hayden. We had similar backgrounds and similar political views. | 11. George McGovem because of his commitment to bringing about a better society. | Model |
| 2. Tax relief for the rich. This year's liberal sounding-conservative proposition is rent control. Neither is ent control. All my liberal opponents support that thony measure. The money for their campaigns comes rom those who will benefit most if that bill passes; onstruction interests. | 12. I voted no. I feel angry about cutbacks to vital services. San Franciscans didn't vote in favor of Prop. 13. | 12. I opposed Prop. 13 and campaigned against it because: two-thirds of the "tax relief" goes to income-producing property, the homeowners property tax relief is not based on need, renters get nothing, the measure does not close a single tax loophole, it cripples local government by essentially eliminating the ability to increase or shift taxes, it tegistated a perpetual cut each year in real tax dollars, by inflation, that local government has to play its bills for the samples of the provides and finally lead to proper the samples. | Prop. 13 |
| . We need to freeze all such construction. The ousing belongs to the people. | Strict limitation on condo conversion. | services it provides, and finally local government is now addicted to state funds that are being gradually depleted and are associated with unwanted strings. The 12-unit apartment building at 120 Parnassus was proposed for conversion by a speculator that stood to make 120% gross profit in 19 months. I stood up and opposed the plan before the full Board of Supervisors providing the longest and most factual testimony presented. The Board voted unanimously for the | Condos |
| 3. People are afraid to walk and take the bus. Con- | Favor it. | first time to turn down a condominium conversion. I oppose condominium conversions if long-term tenants are evicted, large unreasonable profits are involved or if rental housing stock is reduced. A study by the city's Public Utilities Commission | သိ |
| tant examples of street violence in the press is reponsible. People stand a much greater chance of neeting violence through auto accident than on the treets. The streets will be safe when we all learn to se them — walking. | ravoi n. | demonstrates that adult ridership would increase by 33% if the fare were removed. The city should always encourage commuters to get out of their cars and on to transit. I support this initiative. | Muni |
| What about renters and workers? Renters and vorkers are the most overtaxed of all. Cut SSA taxes. imployees don't realize that what they pay to SSA is loubled by their employers. | I gathered signatures for tax the corporation initia- tive. | Strongly support. Corporations are better able to pay than homeowners. | Taxes |
| Yes – but this issue is a smoke screen. We need o cut \$30-\$40 million from the SFPD, not \$300,000. | Favor it. | There is no justification for making criminal sex- ual conduct between adults, both consenting, carried on in private. Government should stay out of people's bedrooms. I support the initiative to abolish the vice squad. | Vice |
| The corporate controlled press likes to make big thing about dumb meaningless issues. The most important issues in this election are police funds and cent control. The money for all Prop. 13 reduced programs will come from such cuts. I will not be pulled into discussion about remote issues when the two most important are never discussed properly. When all my pronents refuse to talk about them — in truthfulness. | Yes, however it must be kept in mind, there is no easy way to integrate, but it must happen. | Support. | Busing |
| | I oppose bars and liquor stores; however, I support places of entertainment and restaurants who wish to serve alcohol. | A recent survey revealed 44 liquor licenses or nearly 3 bars on every block of Haight Street from Stanyan to Central Streets. I have consistently fought new liquor licenses on these three streets. | Moratorium |
| | Favor it. | I support the right of public employees to strike except police, firefighters, and emergency health workers. | Strikes |
| 4. Study of police expenditures. Cut police budgets, ay off those who are not psychologically fit to serve a multi-racial community. Change programs for ealing with crime. Real rent control. | 14. My first priority: return the police force to control by the people of S.F. and end police harassment in our neighborhoods. | 14. A recent Examiner poll showed 63% of the San Franciscans interviewed did not know which supervisorial district they lived in or the name of their supervisor. San Francisco's Board of Supervisors is 155 years old, yet confidence and respect for the board by the press and public is probably at an all time low. I would like to rekindle and restore respect and confidence in the board as a problem-solving governing body that is interested in finding solutions to the tough problems the city is facing. | Priorities |
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| T.V. | 10. M*A*S*H it's human. | 10. Columbo. He's a cop who goes after the nch. A nice fantasy. | 10. Rockford Files and M.A.S.H. Because the main characters are sincere people who don't take themselves too seriously. They are human – not bigger than life characters. |
| Model | 11. Prime Minister Thatcher – not necessarily for her politics, but for doing what she says she will do. | 11. William Reich, because he lifted the veil on how sexual repression lends itself to authoritarianism, and because he was utterly fearless in pursuing his own convictions. | 11. Andrew Young. He's a principled individual who doesn't allow political protocol or bureaucratic red tape interfere with his efforts to improve the human condition of all people. |
| Prop. 13 | 12. I voted for it. It has not been implemented as the voters wished. Politics as usual. | 12. I campaigned against Prop. 13 and will continue to work against the spirit of 13, which tries to blame the poor for the problems the rich have caused. I will oppose the Gann Initiative on next year's ballot. | 12. I voted for Prop. 13. My sentiments remain the same. I know that Prop. 13 is not the cause of reductions in services to the poor and disadvantaged. The problem is inefficiency and ineffectiveness of the public work force – particularly at the management level. Public employees must become more productive in terms of quantity and quality of services. |
| Condos | 13. It is needed but must be managed. | Condominium conversions should be limited so they do not adversely affect the supply of rental units. No conversions should be allowed unless there is a 5% vacancy rate city wide (presently at about 2%). | I am opposed to condo conversions for speculative or profit-oriented motives. I favor conversion as a vehicle for community stability. I agree with the concept in Prop. R where 80% of present tenants would have to agree before conversion could take place. |
| Muni | State law precludes a free Muni under current funding formula. | By charging nothing, Muni would lose the bulk of its financing. Enforced Muni-only lanes and closing off a portion of downtown to auto traffic would improve service, increase passengers and raise revenues (also improve our air). | I haven't taken a stand on this issue. I have con cerns about how the Muni would be financed. At alternative might be to simply close the city (bridges to incoming cars during rush hours. |
| Taxes | Increased tax on corporations will simply discourage further investment as it will be more profitable to go elsewhere; and taxes are passed on to us. | We need Prop. P to make sure we can afford the kinds of services that people depend on. | I support this initiative in principle. I believe the corporations should pay their fair share. |
| Vice | Some of its responsibilities are needed. | We don't need vice squads, red squads, tac squads or any other squads interfering in people's private lives. | I do not support this initiative. It would seem more appropriate to decriminalize certain laws. |
| Busing | An unjustified expense and a time-consuming experiment. | There was no crying years ago when busing was used to segregate schools. The anti-busing initiative is clearly a racist measure and must be opposed. | I oppose mandatory busing. I favor quality schools throughout the city with the option being left with parents and students. |
| Moratorium | There are enough liquor licenses. | The number of licenses in effect now has caused serious parking problems and erosion of residential atmosphere. Let's work on these problems and not add to them. | I unequivocally support a moratorium. |
| Strikes | Public employees do not now have that right under law. They strike anyway, so why the demand? | The opposite of the right to strike is forced labor. Public employees should have all the rights as other workers, including the right to strike. | I do not support public employees' right to strike. Because when they strike they're striking against the tax payers as is evident in the BART and school strikes. |
| Priorities | 14. Represent ALL of District 5. Crime and housing are my priorities. | 14. There can not be any one priority in an economic downturn which exacerbates the problems of jobs, housing and crime for the people of San Francisco, especially senior citizens on fixed incomes. My number one priority is to put greater emphasis on solving these particular problems. | 14. My #1 priority would be establishing district wide task forces to parallel the Board's standing committees. In addition I would establish task-force around women's issues, senior citizens, and housing These task forces would develop short and long rang solutions to district problems, provide input and feed back on an ongoing basis and serve as the vehicles to insure my accountability and responsiveness. |



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NOVEMBER 6th

Last of the Red Hot Street Fairs?

It's by no means certain, but it's possible you've seen the last of the big-time Noe Valley street fairs.

Co-sponsored by Friends of Noe Valley and the Noe Valley Merchants Association, the fairs bave tended to get progressively bigger in scale and attendance with each year. Now, an exploration has been launched on the question of whether the fair should be scaled down to a smaller, more neighborhood-oriented event.

With some members expressing open reservations about the big falrs of the past, Friends of Noe Valley recently appointed a committee to meet with merchants on the issue. Presiding at ber last meeting, outgoing Friends President Alix Dilworth said she doubted people would continue to work on a fair that drew

large crowds, causing mammoth organizational, parking and clean-up problems.

"I'd like to see it scaled down," said Rev. Carl Smith of the Noe Valley Ministry. "Maybe still with the street closed."

Another Friends member suggested the event be cancelled for a year — and then brought back at a reduced scale.

Some merchants would also apparently like a smaller brand of fair that caters more to artists, craftspeople and others from the neighborhood.

"I would like to talk with the merchants," said newly elected Friends President Barbara Hopkins. "I am in favor of having a street fair. It's a San Francisco tradition," she said, adding that she was nevertheless open to suggestions about how the event might be reduced in scale.



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The second annual exhibit of Noe Valley Visual Artists, on display this month at the Noe Valley Ministry, 1021 Sancbez St., will wind up with an edible art show at a closing reception Oct. 21. Come "eat your art out" on that day (call 282-2317 or 821-7667 for details), or stop by for a look at the mouth-watering artistic achievements of the neighborbood on any weekday or Saturday in October, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. The exhibit is sponsored by the Arts Forum of Noe Valley.

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WANTED: Carpenters with **Green Thumbs**

By Sarah Smith

Noe Valley's community garden, which will soon be complemented with a redwood deck, needs some neighborhood nurturing.

Since it was planted three years ago, the public garden. located behind the Noe Valley Library at 451 Jersey St., has been plagued by benign neglect and a recent outbreak of vandalism.

On two successive weekends in August, tomatoes, lettuce and other vegetables were uprooted and left smashed on the ground.

"If they (the vandals) had taken the vegetables with them, I would have felt a lot better," said a disheartened Al Lanier, who has overseen the project since its inception.

Lanier thinks future abuse can be avoided if members of the community take advantage of this money-saving opportunity to reap their own vegetable harvests and tend the garden on a regular basis. Though he and other neighborhood volunteers have dug and planted, watered and mulched the vegetables and flowers on alternate Saturdays every month for the last few years, there have been week-long stretches when no one strolled by to sniff a flower.

If you'd like to investigate how to acquire a plot, or just visit the garden, stop by the library and ask for a key (the iron gates to the rear garden have been locked since the second attack by vandals), or call Librarian Margaret Wyatt, 285-2788.

Regular garden workdays are the second and fourth Saturdays of the month, from 10 a.m. to

You're also invited to help build a deck for public reading and sunning, which will be constructed at the southwestern corner of the library's backyard.

Lanier needs carpenters and handypersons to work on this

project Saturdays in October starting at 10 a.m. Contact him to sign up for this detail at 391-8515.

The community garden was seeded in 1977 with a City grant of \$12,700 to Friends of Noe Valley.



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Films are shown Fridays at 8 p.m. at the Noe Valley Ministry, 1021 Sanchez St. near 23rd. \$2 general, \$1.50 members, \$1 seniors, 75 cents for kids 12 or under.

- Oct. 5 Jean Renoir's "The Rules of the Game," plus "The Unicorn in the Garden" (short).
- Frederico Fellini's "8-1/2," winner of 1963 Academy Oct. 12 Award for Best Foreign Film, plus short (tba).
- Oct. 19 Soviet Revolutionary Films: "Battleship Potemkin" by Eisenstein, and Abram Room's "Bed and Sofa."
- Oct. 26 Halloween Comedy: Rene Clair's 'I Married a Witch," plus 3 cartoons featuring Daffy Duck and Bugs Bunny.

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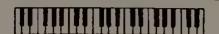
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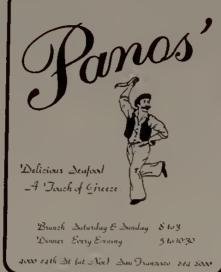
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In addition to regular prints, the studio features the carte de



visite, a turn-of-the-century calling card which introduced the small size photo at that time. Initial price for six cartes is \$10.95, and they may be reordered for about 40 cents each.

Regular prints from a session are \$40 for five prints of any size. up to 11" x 14", or any mixture of sizes. If proofs are desired. there is an extra \$5 charge.

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- Oct. 1 Introduction to Cervical Self-Exam. S. F. Women's Health Center, 3789 24th St. 7:30 p.m. \$3. 282-6999.
- Oct. 2 Reading by playwright Miguel Pinero, author of award-winning "Short Eyes." Cafe Teatro, second floor of Mission Cultural Center, 2868 Mission St. near 25th. 7:30 p.m. Free.
- Oct. 3 Candidates Night for offices of mayor, district attorney and sheriff. Sponsored by Friends of Noe Valley. James Lick Junior High, 25th and Noe. 7:30 to 10 p.m.
- Oct. 3 "Rents are rising: What are you going to do?" seminar at Noe Valley Ministry, 1021 Sanchez St. 8 p.m. Donation.
- Oct. 4 Films: "The Therapeutic Touch: Healing in the New Age," and "Holistic Health: The New Medicine." Earthsign, 4155 24th St. 8 p.m. \$2.
- Oct. 5 Book party for "The Alvarado Experience," with authors Andrea Jepson, Sharon Litsky, and founder of Alvarado Art Workshop, Ruth Asawa Lanier. Intersection Gallery, 756 Union St. 5:30 to 7:30 p.m.
- Oct. 5,6 St. Paul's Parrish Festival: crafts and food booths, games and 7 and entertainment. 1 p. m. to 11 p. m. St. Paul's Intermediate School, 1660 Church St.
- Oct. 7 "The Politics of Psychiatric Drugs," slideshow and discussion. Cooperative Community Center, 777 Valencia St. 8 to 10 p. m. 552-5445. Donation.
- Oct. 7 Book party for Herb Goldberg, author of "The New Male." Books Plus, 3910 24th St. 2 to 5 p.m.
- Oct. 9 Meeting S. F. Renters' Alliance. Program on Prop. R and present rent law. Trinity Methodist Church, 16th and Market. 7:15 p.m. 285-2220.
- Oct. 9 Films: "Romeo and Juliet" adapted from Zeffirelli's film;
 "Bolero" performed by L.A. Philharmonic. Mission Branch
 Library, 3359 24th St. 7:30 p.m. Free.
- Oct. 13 "Water Music," jazz compositions and improvisations by Robert Haven and guest artists, preceded by potluck dinner. Noe Valley Ministry, 1021 Sanchez St. Dinner, 7 p.m.; performance, 8 p.m. \$2 donation.
- Oct. 17 Candidates Night: District 5 supervisorial candidates. James Lick Junior High, 25th and Noe. 7:30 to 10 p.m. Sponsored by Friends of Noe Valley.

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wo classes for women will be offered at Jamestown Community Center, 180 Fair Oaks St. near 23rd this month: Self-Defense for women ages 13-21, on Mondays and Wednesdays, 3 to 5:30 p.m., starting Oct. 1 (\$20 fee but scholarships available), and Beginning Exercise, Tuesdays and Thursdays, beginning Oct. 2 (free). Call 647-RAPE to register for the self-defense class and the community center, 647-6274, to sign up for exercise.

eginning Jazz Exercise for adults will be taught by Dolores Shadel Thursdays from 4 to 5:15 p.m. at the Noe Valley Ministry, 1021 Sanchcz St. (Classes started Sept. 27.) For details, call 282-5835, evenings, or 282-2317, 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

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Health Concerns of
Women in the Middle
Years" is the subject of
four Friday morning workshops,
10 a.m. to noon, this month at
the S. F. Women's Health Center,
3789 - 24th St. (This series
starts Oct. 5.)

Also offered will be a workshop on fertility awareness and natural birth control. This will take place from 7 to 9 p, m. on three Tuesdays, starting Oct. 9 and meeting every other week thereafter. Call the center at 282-6999 to register for either of these workshops.

an Francisco Socialist School, 777 Valencia St., will begin its second year of classes and workshops Oct. 8. A dozen classes on Marxism, feminism, political economy and other related topics are scheduled to meet once a week for up to 10 weeks. The cost of enrolling is \$15 for classes, which entitles the student to all classes she/he wants to take. Call 221-3333, ext. 153, to get on the school's mailing list.

ere's a sample of the workshops and classes offered at Earthsign Books, 4155 - 24th St., this month:

--"Touching - A Women's Massage Workshop" with Vera Pitschi will be held Oct. 13 from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. (\$15 pre-registration, #18 at door).

--"Tarot Therapy" on Oct. 6, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. (\$20).

--"Beauty and the Beast," self-exploration with myths, led by Patricia Judge, on Oct. 20, 1 to 8 p.m. (\$25 pre-reg., \$30 at door).

Call 824-3373 for more details on these and other classes.

- Oct. 21 The New York City Street Olympics: a day of games, including ringalivio, salugee, punchball, potsie, stickball, skullee and more. James Lick School, Castro and 25th. 495-6970.
- Oct. 27 Ishwani dance group and guest artists. Noe Valley Ministry, 1021 Sanchez St. 8 p.m. \$2 donation.
- Oct. 30 Films for kids at the Noe Valley Library, 451 Jersey St. Preschoolers, 10:30 a.m. Ages 6 and up, 4 p.m.
- Oct. 31 Haunted House at Jamestown Community Center, 180 Fair Oaks St. (at 23rd one block from Dolores). Call 647-6274 for details.

Please send CALENDAR items before the 20th day of the month preceding month of issue, to the Noe Valley Voice, 1021 Sanchez St., San Francisco, California, 94114.

ONGOING EVENTS

- Through "Chamber Music," one-act comedy by Arthur Kopit presented by Company One at Betbany Methodist Church, 1268 Sanchez St. Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays, 8:30 p.m. \$2.50 or PAS.
- Oct. 17, "El Mundo Surdo" (The Left-Handed World): a series of readings by feminists, Third World writers, and feminist gay men. Mary Hope Lee, Luisah Teish on Oct. 17; Cher'rie Moraga Lawrence, Gloria Anzaldua on Oct. 24. Small Press Traffic, 3841B 24th St. 8 p.m. \$1 donation.

At the Noe Valley Ministry, 1021 Sanchez St., 282-2317:

- -- Young People's Singing Experience, for boys and girls, 8 to 11. Saturdays, 10 a.m.
- -- Soup Lunch Bunch for all ages, Wednesdays at 12:15 p. m.
- -- Wholesale Mini-Market for people over 55 years, Wednesdays, 1:30 to 2:30 p.m.
- -- Country Dancing with live musle, 1st and 3rd Saturdays, 7:30 p.m. \$2.
- -- Group Meditation, Tuesdays and Thursdays, 5:30 p.m.
- -- Prayer/Meditation Healing gathering, Wednesdays, 7:15 p.m.
 -- Seminar/Open Discussion, "Explorations into Faith and Action,"
- Wednesdays, 8 p. m.
 -- Sunday Worship/Celebrations, 10 a. m.

At the Noe Valley Library, 451 Jersey St., 285-2788:

- -- "Women and Other Mysteries," exhibition of Women's Photography Workshop, Oct. 31 to Nov. 30.
- -- Community Garden Workdays. 2nd and 4th Saturdays, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.
- -- Preschool Story Hours. Tuesdays, 10:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.
- -- Story Hour for Ages 6 to 10. Thursdays, 4 p.m.

At Jamestown Community Center, 180 Fair Oaks St. (23rd one block from Dolores), 647-6274:

- -- Activities for kids after school: arts and crafts, animal ecology, library, tutorial service, recreational programs, movies, field trips.
- -- Women's non-competitive volleyball, Wednesdays, 7 to 9 p.m. \$1 don.
- -- Co-ed intermediate/advanced volleyball "by the rules"; Mondays, 7 to 10 p.m. \$1 donation.
- -- Senior citizens activities (Los Mayores de Centro Latino): Lunches Mon., Wed., Fri. & Sun. Sewing classes and field trips. 826-1647.
- -- Employment opportunitles for youth, ages 16-21 (Student Opportunity Service S.O.S.). Call 826-6880.

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